



PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2873**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shuichi TAKEI

Group Art Unit: 2873

Application No.: 10/777,309

Examiner: T. TRA

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Docket No.: 118504

For: ELECTRO-OPTIC DEVICE, METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND
ELECTRONIC APPARATUS

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In reply to the July 28, 2005 Office Action, reconsideration of the rejection is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks. Claims 1-20 are pending in this application.

I. Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant appreciates the Office Action's acknowledgement that claims 19 and 20 are allowed.

II. Rejections Based on Kido

Claims 1, 3, 4, 10-12 and 18 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(e) over Kido et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,589,673); claim 2 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over Kido in view of Nii (U.S. Patent No. 6,555,959); claims 5-8 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over Kido; claim 13 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over Kido in view of Himeshima et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,633,124); claims 9 and 17 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over Kido